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In re Patent Application of: Kazuhiro Hoshino et al.

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For: IMAGING ELEMENT, IMAGING DEVICE,

CAMERA MODULE AND CAMERA SYSTEM

Examiner: N. D. Hernandez

## **AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

MS AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

## INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Final Office Action dated March 21, 2007, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.